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2010 FALL SHOTGUN WILD TURKEY PERMIT APPLICATION RESIDENT & NON-RESIDENT



APPLICATION INFORMATION

- The resident fee for a Fall Shotgun Wild Turkey Permit is \$15. The nonresident fee is \$125 for each permit. You must enclose an individual check or money order with your application. **Do not send cash**.
- In-person and mail applications will receive equal treatment.
- Permits are not transferable and no refunds will be made unless your county or hunt area is not available.
- Landowners or tenants who choose to apply in the lotteries/drawing (and receive a permit) CANNOT apply later for a property only hunting permit.
- It shall be unlawful to: Submit applications before the second lottery for more than one permit for the same person; apply for or receive more than two permits for the fall shotgun season. Violations of these provisions will result in all applications being rejected, or permits revoked, and fees forfeited.
- You must use an official 2010 Department of Natural Resources Fall Shotgun Wild Turkey Permit application form.
- Please call 217 782-7305 if you have any questions. Department of Natural Resources information is available to the hearing impaired by calling DNR's TTY: 217 782-9175.

APPLICATION DATES

• FIRST LOTTERY – Applications from Illinois residents will be accepted from the date upon which they become available through July 6.

SECOND LOTTERY – Applications from non-residents and anyone that does not have a permit will be accepted through August 23. Illinois residents will be given preference for permits allocated in the Second Lottery.

RANDOM DAILY DRAWINGS – Anyone that does not have a permit or has one permit may apply for a permit or permits to be issued from the first random daily drawing from applications received prior to and including September 20. Random daily drawings will be held up to the last day to apply – September 27. A random daily drawing means all applications from one day are randomly processed before applications from the next day are randomly processed.

LAST DAY TO APPLY – SEPTEMBER 27 – Applications received after September 27 will be returned.

- 2 HUNT LOCATION CHOICES. Enter the county, counties or special hunt area abbreviation in which you wish to hunt. If your first choice is not available, your second choice will be considered. For more information regarding locations and requirements of special hunt areas only, call the Division of Wildlife at 217 782-6384.
- 3 Your social security number or DNR Direct customer number.
- 4 Your name and complete address.
- 5 County in which you reside.
- 6 Your date of birth (month, day, year).
- APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE/PHONE NUMBER. The application must be signed by the individual whose name is on the application. PLEASE GIVE US A PHONE NUMBER where you may be reached weekdays.
- **GROUP HUNT**. The Group Hunt procedure is to accomodate those who do not want a permit unless their hunting partners also draw permits. Up to six individuals may apply to hunt as a group. All individuals in the group must pre-select a group leader and each application for the group must have sections 1, 2, and 8 filled out **IDENTICALLY**. (The group hunt procedure **does not** apply for random daily drawing permits.)

Since Illinois residents are given preference for permits allocated in the Second Lottery, groups containing both resident and non-resident applicants will be treated as non-residents.

APPLICATION RETURN ADDRESS. Applications must be returned to the Springfield Permit Office, either via mail or in person. Mail application and fee to:

IDNR FALL SHOTGUN TURKEY PERMIT ONE NATURAL RESOURCES WAY P.O. BOX 19446 SPRINGFIELD, IL 62794-9446

SEASON DATES - Oct. 23-31, 2010 OPEN COUNTIES (OR PARTS OF) / AREAS

Adams
Alexander
Apple River Canyon SP – Salem & Mario
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Thompson units in Jo Daviess Co. (enter: ARCSP)

Brown Calhoun Carroll Cass Clark

Crab Orchard NWR in Williamson Co.

(enter: CRAB)

Crawford C

Crawford County Conservation Area in Crawford Co. (enter: CCCA)

Fulton

Gallatin / Hardin

south of Rt. 13 only (enter: GALLATIN)

Greene Hancock Henderson Jackson Jasper Jefferson

Jersey Jim Edgar Panther Creek in Cass Co. (enter: JEPC)

Jo Daviess Johnson Knox Lawrence Macoupin Madison Marion Mason McDonough

Meeker Habitat Area in Jasper Co.

(enter:MHA) Mercer Monroe Morgan

Newton Lake FWA

in Jasper Co. (enter: NLFWA)

Perry Pike Pope Randolph Richland Rock Island

Saline Sam Parr SP in Jasper Co. (enter: SPSP)

Sand Ridge SF in Mason Co. (enter: SAND) Schuyler Scott Stephenson Union Wayne Whiteside Williamson

Winnebago Witkowsky SWA

in Jo Daviess Co. (enter: WSWA)

LICENSE: In addition to your turkey permit, you must have a valid Illinois Hunting, Sportsman's or Apprentice License unless you are:

- A person who is disabled and able to show proof of disability in the form of one of the following:
 - a) A State disabled person I.D. card (available from the Secretary of State through the driver's license examining station) showing a P2, P2A, H2, or H2A disability.
- b) Veterans disability card (at least 10% service related); available from local Illinois Department of Veterans' Affairs offices.
- An Illinois resident on active duty and on leave from the U.S. Armed Forces.
- A landowner or tenant residing on farm lands, or the children, parents, brothers, and sisters permanently residing on such lands, and hunting only the lands resided on.

In order to be issued a license, hunters born on or after January 1, 1980 must show proof that they have successfully completed the Hunter Safety Training Course (except for Apprentice) provided by the Department or must show a previous year's hunting license. To obtain information about classes scheduled in your area, call the Safety Education Unit 1-800-832-2599.

HABITAT STAMP. (\$5.50) Before any person 16 years of age or older takes, attempts to take, or pursues any species of wildlife protected by the Wildlife Code, except migratory waterfowl, coots, and hand-reared birds on licensed game breeding and hunting preserve areas and state controlled pheasant hunting areas, he or she shall first obtain a State Habitat Stamp. Disabled veterans and former prisoners of war shall not be required to obtain State Habitat Stamps. Any person who obtained a Lifetime license before January 1, 1993, shall not be required to obtain a State Habitat Stamp.

Licenses/stamps are available at DNR Direct Automated License System agents, by phone at 1-888-6PERMIT or www.dnr.state.il.us.

FIREARM OWNER'S I.D. CARD (Issued by Illinois State Police)

Regardless of who owns the gun, anyone who has a firearm or firearm ammunition in their possession must have in their possession a valid Firearm Owners' I.D. (F.O.I.D.) Card unless he or she is:

- a) A licensed out of state sportsman hunting in Illinois, or
- b) Under the age of 21 and under the immediate control of a parent, guardian, or responsible adult who has in their possession a valid F.O.I.D. Card.

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